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H 0009-A**GENERAL BILL by Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Harrell; Zapata (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0025-A, 2ND ENG/S 0050-A)

Workers' Compensation; revises authorization to claim exemptions & requirements re submitting notice of election of exemption; revises provisions re contractors & subcontractors re liability for compensation; provides additional limitations on compensation for permanent total disability; revises provisions re timely payment of compensation & medical bills & penalties for late payment, etc. Amends Chs. 440, 627, 921.0022, 946.523, 985.315. Effective Date: 10/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

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H 0025-A GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Berfield; Brown; Carroll; Clarke; Cretul; M. Davis; Kilmer; Mayfield; Reagan; Ross; Spratt; Waters; Zapata (Identical 2ND ENG/S 0050-A, Similar H 0009-A)

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05/27/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 82 NAYS 35 -HJ 00179 05/27/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages,

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S 0050-A GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Clary; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Atwater

946.523, 985.315. Effective Date: 10/01/2003 except as otherwise provided. 05/27/03 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 00367

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H 0025-A**GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Berfield;

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Brown; Carroll; Clarke; Cretul; M. Davis; Kilmer; Mayfield; Reagan; Ross; Spratt; Waters; Zapata (Identical 2ND ENG/S 0050-A, Similar H 0009-A)

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H 0027-A**GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Goodlette; (CO-SPONSORS) Berfield; Brown; Clarke; Cretul; M. Davis; Waters (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0032-A,

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Compare H 0121-A)

Motor Vehicle Insurance Reform Act; cites act as "Florida Motor Vehicle Insurance Affordability Reform Act"; prohibits disclosure of confidential police reports for purposes of commercial solicitation; creates "Health Care Clinic Act"; provides that making claim re personal injury protection which is upcoded or which is submitted for payment of services not rendered constitutes grounds for disciplinary action, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$2,500,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/15/03 HOUSE Amendment(s) reconsidered, substitute amendment adopted -HJ 00083; Ordered engrossed -HJ 00067, -HJ 00088

05/27/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 32-A (Ch. 2003-411)

S 0032-A GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Alexander
(Similar 1ST ENG/H 0027-A, Compare H 0121-A)

<u>Motor Vehicle Insurance Reform Act</u>; cites act as "Florida Motor Vehicle Insurance Affordability Reform Act"; prohibits disclosure of confidential police reports for purposes of commercial

solicitation; creates "Health Care Clinic Act"; provides that making claim re personal injury protection which is upcoded or which is submitted for payment of services not rendered constitutes grounds for disciplinary action, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$2,500,000. Effective Date: 10/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/27/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00371

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H 0121-A GENERAL BILL by Farkas (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0027-A, H 0049-A, CS/1ST ENG/S 0032-A)

Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain medications without valid professional relationship; increases threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/13/03 HOUSE Introduction allowed -HJ 00025; Introduced -HJ 00037

05/27/03 HOUSE Died, reference deferred, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 32-A (Ch. 2003-411)

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- H 0083-A**GENERAL BILL by Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Ambler; Anderson; Brandenburg; Bullard; Carroll; Clarke; Cretul; M. Davis; Domino; Galvano; Gelber; Goodlette; Holloway; Homan; Kilmer; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Llorente; Mayfield; Meadows; Patterson; Planas; Quinones; Reagan; Robaina; Roberson (Compare 2ND ENG/S 0022-A, S 0048-A) Prescription Drugs/Elderly Persons; revises pharmaceutical expense assistance program for low-income elderly individuals; adds eliqibility groups; provides benefits; requires federal approval of benefits; creates Sunshine for Seniors Program to assist low-income seniors with obtaining prescription drugs from manufacturers' pharmaceutical assistance programs; provides implementation & overight duties of Elderly Affairs Dept., etc. Amends 409.9065; creates 430.83. Effective Date: Upon becoming law. 05/16/03 HOUSE Passed; YEAS 117 NAYS 0 -HJ 00093 05/16/03 SENATE In Messages 05/27/03 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)
- S 0022-A GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Dawson (Compare H 0035-A, H 0041-A, H 0083-A, H 0145-A, S 0048-A) Health Care; deletes repeal of provisions requiring payment of certain fees upon transfer of leasehold license for nursing facility; revises training requirements for administrators & staff of assisted living facilities & adult family-care home providers; revises provisions governing payment of optional medical benefits for certain Medicaid-eligible persons; revises pharmaceutical expense assistance program for low-income elderly individuals, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/27/03 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 00371 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor 06/17/03 06/26/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-405

S 0048-A GENERAL BILL by Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Aronberg (Compare H 0083-A, 2ND ENG/S 0022-A) LifeSaver Rx Program; requires Secretary of Health Care Administration to operate said program as state pharmaceutical assistance program to provide discounts to participants for prescription drugs covered by rebate agreement; requires secretary to negotiate discount prices or rebates for prescription drugs from manufacturers or labelers; requires AHCA to publish on website average wholesale prices of drugs provided through program, etc.

> Amends Ch. 409. Effective Date: Upon becoming law. 05/14/03 SENATE Introduction allowed -SJ 00011; Introduced, referred to Rules and Calendar -SJ 00011

05/27/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

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H 0113-A**GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Benson; (CO-SPONSORS) Cantens; M. Davis; Gelber; Goodlette; Kottkamp; Mahon; Negron; Planas; Sansom; Waters; Zapata (Similar H 0085-A, 1ST ENG/S 0034-A)

Judicial System; revises definition for purposes of retired justices or judges assigned to temporary duty; removes provisions re fees for certification & renewal of certification of court reporters; requires witness coordination to be provided by state attorneys & public defenders; restricts duties of state attorneys before circuit & county courts; provides for payment of expenses for state attorney to assist in another circuit, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$200,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/27/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00428

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H 0085-A GENERAL BILL by Benson; (CO-SPONSORS) Gelber; Kottkamp; Mahon; Negron (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0113-A, 1ST ENG/S 0034-A)

Judicial System; revises definition for purposes of retired justices or judges assigned to temporary duty; removes provisions re fees for certification & renewal of certification of court reporters; requires witness coordination to be provided by state attorneys & public defenders; restricts duties of state attorneys before circuit & county courts; provides for payment of expenses for state attorney to assist in another circuit, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$200,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/12/03 HOUSE Filed; Introduction refused -HJ 00009
05/27/03 HOUSE Died, introduction refused, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 113-A (Ch. 2003-402)

S 0034-A GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Smith; (CO-SPONSORS) Villalobos (Similar H 0085-A, 2ND ENG/H 0113-A)

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05/27/03 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00316; Substituted HB 113-A -SJ 00318; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 113-A (Ch. 2003-402)